

American Antiquarian
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March 11th, 1919.

Clarence Brigham, Esq., Librarian,
Antiquarian Society,
Worcester, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Wood advises me that you would like to know the cost of a set of the American Journal of Numismatics. I beg to advise that a complete set from the beginning 1866 to and including Volume LI (1917) is worth One hundred and twenty (\$120.00) dollars.

on hand
We have two sets, the earlier number of which are bound. One is in three-quarters brown morocco, the first two volumes with four years bound in one, and from Volume 9 to Volume 29 with three years bound in each volume. There is also a volume of the Proceedings from 1878 to 1892 to match the set. I can quote you a price of \$135.00 for the set. The second set has Volumes 1 to 15 bound in three-quarters green morocco, one year to each volume. You will see that it is therefore the less desirable set of the two because of the expense of binding all the other volumes independently. Should you however prefer this, I should be very glad to have you order it at \$130.00 for the set.

Mr. Wood also mentioned your desire for all copies of our book plates and that of Mr. Newell's, and I take pleasure in enclosing a set in triplicate for your collection.

I hope you can order a set of our Journal because the income derived through this means goes toward the expense of the succeeding volumes.

Yours very truly,

Secretary and Librarian.



American Antiquarian Society
WORCESTER, MASS.

March 13, 1919

Sydney P. Noe, Librarian,
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway and 156th St.,
New York City

Dear Mr. Noe:

I beg to acknowledge your letter of March 11, advising me of the price of a set of the American Journal of Numismatic. I cannot decide on this set until I know how much money is left in our book fund for the current fiscal year. We try to devote nearly all of our book money to the purchase of early newspapers, American imprints and other specialties for which the Library is noted and is chiefly used. I have long wanted to build up a collection which would enable us to satisfy researchers in American Numismatics, but so far I have not had the money to do it properly, as the call upon our income for necessary purposes is very large. I will keep the matter of the purchase of this set under consideration, and will take it up as soon as I think that we can afford it.

I beg to thank you for sending us the bookplates, and wish that you would give my regards to Mr. Wood and Mr. Wyman and thank them for remembering my queries.

Yours very truly,

Clarence S. Brigham
Librarian

CSB/B

April 5th, 1919.

Mr. Clarence H. Brigham,
American Antiquarian Society,
Worcester, Mass.

Dear Clarence:-

Please excuse the delay in returning the coin that I borrowed from you the other day while in Worcester. I have held it here expecting to show it to some one who is especially interested in this series. The piece I find is not rare. It is a tetradrachm sometimes known as a Tyrian shekel struck by the City of Tyre in the year 31-30 B. C.

I beg to thank you for the courtesy you gave Wyman and myself when we were in Worcester, and trust we will see you here sometime.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

April 10, 1919.

Mr. Clarence S. Brigham, Librarian,
American Antiquarian Society,
Worcester, Massachusetts.

Dear Mr. Brigham,

I have the honor to inform you that at the last meeting of the Council you were unanimously elected an Associate-Member of The American Numismatic Society.

I trust you will feel that we shall be very glad to be of service to you in any way that may present itself. Please feel free to call upon us should occasion offer.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

Clarence S. Brigham,
Librarian

American Antiquarian Society

WORCESTER, MASS.

April 12, 1919

Mr. Sydney P. Noe,
American Numismatic Society,
New York City

Dear Mr. Noe:

I beg to acknowledge your communication of April 10, announcing that this Society has been elected to associate membership in the American Numismatic Society. We are glad to accept membership, and shall look forward to receiving the publications.

Yours very truly,

C. S. Brigham,
Librarian

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Clarence S. Brigham,
Librarian

American Antiquarian Society

WORCESTER, MASS. May 19, 1927

American Numismatic Society,
Broadway at 155th St.,
New York City

Dear Sirs:

We should be glad to subscribe
to the volume on "Indian Peace Medals",
provided we will not get it by way of
exchange, as I assume we will not.

Yours very truly,

Clarence S. Brigham

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Librarian